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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL AND REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME **PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)**

SIR:

Please find an Amendment transmitted herewith for filing in the above-identified patent application.

Applicants hereby request a three-month extension of time for responding to the Office Action of April 29, 2003 for which a three-month response period, expiring on July 29, 2003, was set. The three-month extended period for response expires on October 29, 2003. Please charge the 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) three-month extension fee of \$950.00 and any other fee that may be required to Deposit Account No. 11-0600. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is enclosed for that purpose.

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